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1. DEPARTMENT HAS REVIEWED DRAFT RESOLUTION CONCERNING EFFECTIVE MOBILIZATION OF WOMEN IN DEVELOPMENT OFFERED UNDER ITEM 66, INTEGRATION OF WOMEN IN DEVELOPMENT, AND BELIEVES THAT WHILE THE RESOLUTION CONTAINS MANY POINTS THAT THE US SUPPORTS LEADING TO A WIDER INTEGRATION AND UTILIZATION OF WOMEN IN DEVELOPMENT, IT REAFFIRMS THE IMPORTANCE OF WOMEN'S CONTRIBUTION TO THE ESTABLISHMENT OF THE NIEO WHICH WE CAN NOT ENDORSE AND WE THEREFORE CAN NOT CO-SPONSOR.

2. DELEGATION MAY VOTE IN FAVOR OF THE RESOLUTION BUT
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NOT CO-SPONSOR. IT SHOULD PROVIDE THE FOLLOWING

EXPLANATION OF VOTE WHEN THE RESOLUTION IS APPROVED:

"THE UNITED STATES HAS ALWAYS BEEN CLEARLY SUPPORTIVE OF THOSE PROGRAMS OF THE UNITED NATIONS SYSTEM NOW BEING DEVELOPED TO PROMOTE AND FULLY UTILIZE THE TALENTS OF WOMEN AND LEADING TO THEIR FULL INTEGRATION IN ALL ASPECTS OF DEVELOPMENT. IT IS FOR THIS REASON THAT WE HAVE VOTED IN FAVOR OF THE RESOLUTION.

"WITH RESPECT TO THE PREAMBULAR REFERENCES CONCERNING THE ESTABLISHMENT OF THE NEW INTERNATIONAL ECONOMIC ORDER, WE WISH TO STATE THAT THE UNITED STATES HAS ALWAYS BEEN SYMPATHETIC TO THE OBJECTIVE OF ACHIEVING AN IMPROVED, MORE EQUITABLE ECONOMIC AND SOCIAL ORDER. HOWEVER, TO THE EXTENT THAT THE LANGUAGE OF THE RESOLUTION REFERS IMPLICITLY TO THE IMPLEMENTATION OF THE RESOLUTIONS OF THE SIXTH SPECIAL SESSION OF THE UN GENERAL ASSEMBLY ON THE ESTABLISHMENT OF THE NEW INTERNATIONAL ECONOMIC ORDER, THE UNITED STATES MUST EXPLAIN ONCE AGAIN, THAT ITS WELL KNOWN POSITION ON THOSE RESOLUTIONS REMAINS UNCHANGED." KISSINGER

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